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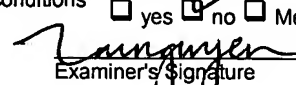
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TITLE
 Passive RFID transponder/machine-mounted antenna and reader system and method for hidden obstacle detection and avoidance

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